## RELEASE OF EIGHT SMALLPOX PATIENTS

Health Officials Say the Contagion is on the Wane.

No New Cases Reported Since Saturday Last.

Isolating Hospital Population Dwindles to Nineteen Members.

The smallpox outbreak again shows signs of waning. Eight putients were released from the smallpox isolating hospital today by order of the Health Department, these having been pronounced well by the phy-

included in the number were, five members of the Ferguson family, who were removed to the hospital from the infected house at 207 G Street southwest. Another of the patients released was Rev. Alexander Wilhank, who was the first person sent to the hospital during the present outbreak. The complete list of persons

curbreak. The complete list of persons liberated today follows.

Alexander Withants, colored, twenty-eight years old, lived at 205 H Street southwest, removed to the smallpox hospital January 22. Eva Ferguson, colored, nee years old; William Howard Ferguson, colored, eight years old, Jerome Ferguson, colored, ten years old; Sterling Haunah Ferguson, colored, four years old; Othe Ferguson, colored, four years old; Othe Ferguson, colored, eighteen months old, removed to the smallpox hospital on February 25, 25 and March, 1 respectively, from No. 26 G Street southwest. Estimest Crawford, colored, twelve years old, lived from No. 36; G. Street southwest. Earnest Crawford, colored twelve grans old, fived at 716 Pirest Street southwest, removed to the smallpox fospital, February 25, 1880. Letoy Bundy, ten years old, colored, fixed

a) No. 96 C Street southwest, removed to the smallpox hospital March 2 With the librration of these persons, the total number of particus at the smallpox leospital has dwindled from twenty-seven to the teen cares the lowest it has been for a mouth. No new cases of the conte-tion have been brought to the attention of the Health Department since Saturday coming. The house in the rear of Six

#### ON THE WATCH FOR CHOULS.

Policemen Courding a Cemetery to

Philisdelphia; Pa., March 14.-A report to the effect that an attempt was made to tery at midnight on Saturday caused the police of the Twentieth and Federal and Point Breeze substationhouses to keep a vigifant watch on the cometery for sevcal fours on Sunday morning during shich one of the officers stirriled his landh affects by making an exciting capture

officers by Labour at the cemeiory, lebanco Cemeiory is situated on Passon). Arenue just west of Eighteenth

to to be cobbed.

30 Saturday night Sergeant Wilson who is charge of the Point Breeze substation, circuit storic that a plot had been concell to significant two bodies from the came-

surrounding the cemeters, and in company with the superintendent several of the officers made a tour of inspection.

The ghouls did not turn up, however, if there were any, and at 5 o'clink Sergicant Couliffe and his men started away from the scene. Before they had gone far how importer's Sample Lot ease, they were recalled by a policenan s-whistle. Hurrying back the found Officer Others is charge of a stout colored man who was dressed in truly despected fish-ion, with hig wide-topped rubber boots, hig felt has pailed down over his ears and a repeating rifle slung over his shoulder. The captive proved to be Superintendent Johnson, who, with his wife, lives in part of the little cheal in the complete and of the little chapel in the cemetery, and he had been watching for the robbers should they make their appearance. Officer Girson, who was left behind when the oth-Gilson, who was left behind when the oun-cr officers were called from their pasts, had seen Johnson coming through a bro-iem panel of the fence in the rear of the remeters and he had mistaken the gun which Johnson carried for a space. John-non told Sergeant Conflife that he did not lead miles protection and that he would need police protection and that he would take care of the robbers if they came his

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spirators who were to open the two graves. There were two motives for the robbers, one of revenge upon the superintendent and the other to secure money from medical colleges for the stolen bodies. It is be-lieved that the plan was really made and the police think that their presence pre-vented the carrying out of the work. Lieunant Tomlinson reported the occurrence o Superintendent Linden.

A FIVE-FINGERED SWINDLER. Claiming to Represent the Smithsonian Institution.

New York, March 4.—Some swindler working in the name of the Smithsonian Institution at Washington has recently been busy in this city. His method is to solicit subscriptions for various publications in connection with the Nature Study Society of that institution. There is no such society. He exhibits as credentials a forged certificate and other papers signed "Robert Ridgeway, president," and from every victim collects the subscription price of the imaginary publication for a year, and promises to deliver the books and accompanying chart within five days.

The man may be most easily identified by the fact that three of his fingers have been amputated at the first joint. He is about

sixty years old, with gray hair and beard, and variously states his name as Thomas C. Ridgeway, Thomas C. Cowley and Thom-as C. Centry. He is known to have been carrying on this fraud for more than a month, not only here but also in Michigan, Indiana, Kentucky and Illinois. Prof. S. P. Langley, Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, says that the Institution employs no agents to solicit subscriptions for any publication. Inquiry in Washington showed that the matter had not been reported to the police of that

Rentizing Our Naval Power.

The achievement of the United States Navy within the past year is compelling leading European assentiries to send naval attaches to Washington to study American naval methods. Licutentail Defeatment of the French and Defeatment of the French and Defeatment of the French Ambassador, M. Cambon, to become the raval attache of the French Embassy. This will be the first time that the French government has had a naval attache with the enabassy. A German naval officer is coming to the German Embassy, and other countries doubtless will follow in the same line to study the American methods of naval construction and progress. The great achievement of the United States Navy is not the only thing that surprises the European countries, but the superior qualities of Heurich's beers also amaze them. Order a case of Heurich's by 'phoning six-thirty-four, Arlington Bottling Co., and you will also be amazed at the superior qualities of Maerzen, Senate, Extra Pale and Lager. Realizing Our Naval Power.

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J. WILLIAM LEE,

Veternn Bound to Die. Chambersburg, Pa., March 14.-William McDonald, a civil war veteran, tried to commit suicide yesterday morning by throwing himself under the wheels of a Western Maryland freight train at this place. McDonald made three unsuccessful

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I l tions will be offered for adoption 1st-A resolution providing for the re-duction of the par value of the capital stock of said company from \$20 per share to \$5 per share.

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Funeral from his residence Tuesday, March 14, 1869, at 9:30 o'clock; thence to Holy Trinity Church, where mass will be said for the repose of his soul. Interment Holy Bood.
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